

Proposed Bill No. 6282

January Session, 2007

LCO No. 1498

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by: REP. BOUKUS, 22nd Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR HEARING AIDS FOR ADULTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That sections 38a-490b and 38a-516b of the general statutes be
- 2 amended to require individual and group health insurance policies
- delivered, issued for delivery, renewed, amended or continued in this
- 4 state on or after October 1, 2007, to provide coverage for eighty per
- 5 cent of the cost of hearing aids for individuals eighteen years of age or
- 6 older.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide partial health insurance coverage for the cost of hearing aids for adults.